## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA :

: CRIMINAL ACTION

v. :

: NO. 07-582-01

GERALD BIRNIE :

## **ORDER**

AND NOW, this 16th day of June, 2015, upon consideration of defendant's pro se Motion to Vacate, Set Aside, or Correct Sentence under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 and plaintiff's Memorandum in Opposition, and for the reasons set forth in the accompanying memorandum of today's date, it is **ORDERED** that:

- 1. Defendant's Motion to Vacate, Set Aside, or Correct Sentence under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 (paper no. 101) is **DENIED**.
- 2. A certificate of appealability shall not be issued because defendant was not denied effective counsel or any other constitutional right.

/s/ Norma L. Shapiro